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1. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Samuel Archibald and Mr. William Barnaby of House Government Operations Information Subcommittee concerning the Committee questionnaire concerning qualifications of polygraph operators. Mr. Archibald indicated that the Committee desire is simply to acquire answers in uniform format from the 19 answering agencies and if desired, no formal response would be necessary.

2. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a request from Miss Comfort, Assistant to Congressman Ed Foreman (R., Tex.) for unclassified information that she might forward to a high school junior who is writing on the subject of the Central Intelligence Agency. I advised that I would drop it off to her on my next visit to the Hill.

3. (Internal Use Only - JSW) Mr. Blandford, House Armed Services Committee staff, inquired on the status of our response to Mr. Vinson's letter on the query from Congressman Farbstain on AFME. I reminded him that he and I had talked with the Chairman who had requested that this matter be brought up at the next meeting of the Agency with the Subcommittee. Blandford then recalled that this was so. NE Division was reminded that a report will be expected for our next meeting.

4. (Internal Use Only - JSW) Talked with Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who stated that Mr. Mahon wanted six copies of the report on the Soviet economy which formed a basis of the column in the NEW YORK TIMES of today by Edwin Dale. I said I would provide these as soon as possible. Mr. Cline was alerted to this as well as Mr. Elder.

Advised Mr. Michaels that the Director would be glad to brief the Mahon Defense Subcommittee on Soviet posture and possibly the time of the 15th is all right although I asked him not to send forward any final word on this until I have confirmed it to him. Mr. Michaels said Mr. Mahon is most anxious to get this one settled.